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The non-Soviet Warsaw Pact (NSWP) nations provide only a fraction of the Warsaw Pact's total theater nuclear capability opposite NATO. Together, the NSWP armies contain less than a third of the Pact's tactical nuclear missiles and rockets and the air forces less than fifteen percent of its nuclear capable aircraft. Nonetheless, over 300 FROG rocket and SCUD missile launchers as well as hundreds of nuclear capable aircraft represent a substantial nuclear threat on NATO's periphery. Nuclear warheads for these weapons are maintained under Soviet control.

- FROG (Free Rocket Over Ground). All NSWP ground force divisions are equipped with this nuclear-capable rocket (a battalion of four launchers). Most have the latest version, the FROG-7, although some older FROG-3/5 models are still in the inventory. The FROG-7 has a range of about 70 km, is mounted on a wheeled transporter-launcher vehicle, and can carry a conventional high explosive, chemical, or nuclear warhead.
- SCUD Missile. All NSWP ground forces are equipped with SS-1 SCUD surface-to-surface missiles, deployed in brigade-size formations. This single-stage, short-range (300 km) ballistic missile is mounted on a wheeled transporter-launcher and carries either a conventional high explosive, chemical, or nuclear warhead.
- Nuclear Capable Aircraft. NSWP air forces have approximately 1,000 nuclear-capable aircraft. These include various models of the MIG-23 Flogger, the Su-7 Fitter A, Su-20 Fitter C, and late-model MIG-21s--i.e., Fishbed J, L, and N. The majority of these although nuclear capable,

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are unlikely to be used in nuclear-delivery roles. Of particular significance in this arsenal are the Flogger and Fitter C which are variable geometry (swing wing) aircraft with combat radii exceeding 600 km. They have some all-weather capability. In addition the Fitter A has a combat radius of about 400 km but no all-weather capability. The air forces of Poland, East Germany, Czechoslovakia, and Bulgaria have one or more of these three models.

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